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1. The Ulanen Kaserne buildings along Olbrichtstrasse, Leipzig (N 52/E 21), were occupied by VP personnel on [REDACTED]. A VP company of four 45-man platoons marched into the barracks area. The police were from 18 to 20 years of age. The platoons were equipped as follows:

1st Plat: Three light machine guns, model 34

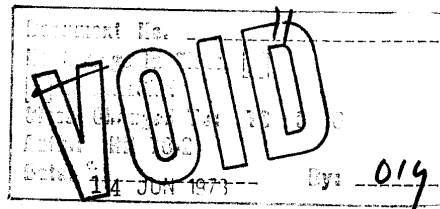
2d Plat: Two light machine guns, model 34
One light machine gun, model 42

3rd Plat: Two light machine guns, model 34
One light machine gun, model 42

4th Plat: Two heavy machine guns

2. The barracks on Viertelsweg-Jonny Scheerstrasse and Georg Schuhmannstrasse-Medellstrasse, Leipzig, were occupied by VP personnel in early May 1950. About 400 police were seen entering each of the two barracks on [REDACTED].

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